

## SURVIVOR TELLS OF DEATH IN WAVES

Crew of Rosecrans, Caught Like Rats, Fight to Escape from Fo'c'sle.

THREE SAVED FROM WRECK

One Man Washed Ashore While Clinging to Plank — Eight Bodies Recovered.

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)  
ASTORIA, Oregon, January 8.—(Special to The Advertiser)—Captain Patterson, the official pilot for the Columbia River, reports that eight bodies from the Rosecrans wreck have been washed ashore, including that of Captain Johnson.

At daylight it was determined that twenty-nine men went down with the Rosecrans and four were saved. Three were rescued while clinging to the masts while Nels Peters, third quartermaster, clung to a plank and was washed ashore. Peters who drifted on a plank to a point seven miles distant from the wreck after being thrown from the Rosecrans' deck by a comb, was the first survivor ashore.

The life-savers went out at day-break and rescued the three men who were clinging to the rigging, but one of these died on the way to the life-saving station. Peters was suffering terribly from exposure when picked up and was rushed to the home of a friend.

"Most of the men were in their berths when the crash came," declared Peters in an interview at Tioga Point, where he came ashore today.

"First we could hear the man at the wheel shout that he mistook the north-light for the lightship and had probably run the ship on the rocks. As soon as the Rosecrans struck she listed heavily to seaward, exposing her decks to the full force of the storm and making it easy for the breakers to comb over her from end to end.

"I groped my way through the darkness in an effort to gain the deck, but had no sooner gotten to the top of the companionway than a breaker picked me up like a feather and carried me clear to the opposite side of the vessel, which, because of her list, was high in the air.

"I remember being struck by a plank a moment later, being washed off my feet. I grabbed this plank tightly; then I lost consciousness and did not come to again until I felt my feet on the sands after being washed ashore.

"It was awful the way the boys fought and scrambled to get free of their inky-black bunk cabins. I could see a few of them trying to drag themselves up the companionway with a dozen others pulling them back before the big wave that bore me away choked the vessel with water from stem to stern.

"I am sure the majority of the men never lived to reach the deck, and the three who were taken from the rigging must have been on the hurricane deck when the crash came.

"The boys did not shout or scream much; there was too much water choking them, and they were fighting too hard to get on deck."

## INDIA'S VICEROY IMPROVES; DEVOTED WIFE COLLAPSES

DELHI, Hindustan, January 8.—(By Associated Press Cable to Star-Bulletin)—Baron Charles Hardinge, Viceroy of India, is rapidly improving from the injuries he sustained when a bomb, hurled by a native fanatic, disabled him as he was entering the city. Lady Hardinge has been nursing her husband, but now that he is considered completely out of danger, is reported to have collapsed from the nervous strain under which she has been laboring.

## RESIDENTS DRIVEN FROM HOMES BY EXTENSIVE FLOODS

PITTSBURGH, Pennsylvania, January 9.—(By Associated Press Cable)—While great distress and immense loss in three States. All the lowlands along the Ohio, Mississippi, and West Virginia are covered with the flood waters. Hundreds of people have been driven from their homes, while others are marooned in their homes. The rescuing of the latter is progressing as fast as possible. Much distress is being caused for lack of immediate supplies.

Fred Young, the former intercollegiate pole-vault champion, is due to return to the University of California next semester. Young was in college last spring, but failed to register for the full term. The question of his return was unable to show up at his last in the month last spring because of an accident sustained while vaulting. He is expected to do things in the pole vault next spring under the coaching of Walter Christie.

## The Men Who Are Conducting the Smokeless Battle for Peace



## FROST WILL INCREASE THE PRICE OF LIVING

Southern California Fruits and Vegetables Practically Wiped Out.

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)  
LOS ANGELES, January 8.—(Special to The Advertiser)—With the cold wave that has engulfed Southern California for four days receding, estimates show that from forty to sixty per cent of the citrus crop is a total loss. This is generally agreed upon by citrus experts, but the exact percentage and the attending financial loss cannot be fixed for another week.

It is believed, however, that the damage will exceed \$20,000,000. Not only citrus crops suffered; small vegetables are practically wiped out. Beans, peas, tomatoes and other vegetables are growing in price and the cost of living in Southern California threatens to be the highest on record for the next three months.

Snowing in Sacramento.  
SACRAMENTO, California, January 8.—(By Associated Press Cable to Star-Bulletin)—Snow began falling here today, for the first time in many years. The wind is high, blowing the flakes in swirls and spirals that make the tourists from the East homesick. The temperature began to rise slightly when the snow began to fall.

Denver in Grip of Ice King.  
DENVER, Colorado, January 8.—(By Associated Press Cable to Star-Bulletin)—The cold wave that has been covering the entire West reached here this morning and the thermometer dropped by rapid stages to the unprecedented low level of 54 degrees below freezing point. The water supply of the city is threatened, and the damage done by bursting water pipes and mains has been large. At least three unknown tramps suffered death from the cold. A high wind is blowing.

## DUCHESS SUFFERING FROM PERITONITIS

MONTREAL, Canada, January 9.—(By Associated Press Cable)—It was announced today in explanation of the failure of Her Grace, the Duchess of Cornwall, wife of the Governor General of Canada who is an uncle of King George, to appear in public that she was suffering from an attack of peritonitis. It is not believed she is in serious danger.

## EXPERIENCE IS THE BEST TEACHER.

"A great deal has been written and said in the newspapers regarding Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Mr. P. Crooke of Cairns Moor, Natal, Africa. "Still only a few people are aware of the great value of this remedy. There is an old proverb that 'Experience is the best teacher.' My family and I were attacked by severe colds and coughs at that for several nights we could not enjoy sleep. I decided to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and when we were all cured, I recommended this remedy as a true and family physician." For sale by Messrs. Smith & Co., Ltd., agents for Hawaii.—Advert. Manager.

## COMPROMISE PLAN TO SAVE ADRIANOPLE FOR TURKEY

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)  
CONSTANTINOPLE, January 8.—(Special to The Advertiser)—Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign minister, has submitted to the Powers a plan for preserving Adrianople to Turkey, according to a statement made today. Retention of the treaty will be subject to the dismantling of the fortifications and sundry economic restrictions.

## MULTI-MILLIONAIRE REPORTED VERY SICK

NEW YORK, January 8.—(By Associated Press Cable)—Physicians on behalf of William Rockefeller filed a certificate today declaring that their patient might never speak above a whisper again, owing to the diseased condition of his larynx. It is also stated that he is troubled with a trembling of his hands which prohibits his writing.

## WILL DEPOSIT GREAT SUM AS BAIL FOR DYNAMITER

SAN FRANCISCO, January 8.—(By Associated Press Cable to Star-Bulletin)—P. H. McCarthy announced today that he is now ready to file with the United States circuit court the \$240,000 demanded as a bail bond for the release of Olaf Tveitmore and Eugene Clancy, pending the new hearing of their case. McCarthy said that he had little trouble raising the cash.

## TREE SAVES AUTO FROM TOTAL WRECK

Running into a ditch on the Pali road just above the Niuaua dam, a chauffeur, by the name of Cummings, Tuesday night badly smashed auto 1014, owned by R. W. Warham, proprietor of the Manhattan and Baltimore restaurants. The police could find no traces of skidding on examination and are at a loss as to how the driver came to get off the road.

The machine halted in a dangerous predicament, with only a tree between it and a plunge down the slope that at that point drops sharply towards the lowlands above the dam. The radiator, front lamps and front gear generally were badly damaged.

Adolph Gutch, brother of Frank Gutch, champion heavyweight wrestler, died in a rooming house in Dauphin street, New York, December 30. He had fallen from a bathtub and an autopsy showed that his neck was broken.

It is understood that the proposal stands a good chance of acceptance.

Give Up Demand for Port.  
LONDON, January 8.—(By Associated Press Cable to Star-Bulletin)—The Serbian plenipotentiaries today announced their intention of resigning their demands for a port on the Adriatic. This step, entirely unexpected, it is believed, will prove a long move toward peace.

## MAKES GOOD TIME IN ROUGH WEATHER

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, January 8.—(Special to The Advertiser)—Although the rough weather which prevailed off the coast delayed a number of vessels in reaching here, it failed to interrupt the progress of the Matsun liner Wilhelm, which came up from Diamond Head in five days and eighteen hours. Captain Peter Johnson and Chief Engineer Forbes were elated at the way the big liner took the seas and challenged the strong winds.

## NEEDS OF THE BIG ISLAND ARE MANY

(Mail Special to The Advertiser.)  
HILLO, January 6.—Hawaii county only requires something like three-quarters of a million dollars to fulfill the demands for internal improvements, according to the report of County Engineer Southworth to the board of supervisors.

The various items are as follows: Hilo waterworks extension, \$15,000; Hilo sewerage, \$10,000; Hilo streets and storm drainage, \$75,000; Hilo garbage and street cleaning, \$10,000; Hilo are department, building central station, \$23,000; Hilo fire department, equipment, \$7500; new fireproof county building, civic center, \$75,000; jails, lock-ups and jailers' cottages, \$11,500; hospitals, courthouses, county buildings and grounds, \$25,000; extension Waialua waterworks, \$3000; extension Kamuela waterworks, \$1500. The demands for road construction, outside the sections taken up by the belt road commission, aggregate \$625,000, as follows: Kohala, \$140,000; Kona, \$112,000; Kau, \$126,000; Puna, \$86,000; Hilo, \$75,000; Hamakua, \$86,000.

## SHERMAN EN ROUTE.

The transport Sherman which left Manila about Christmas day, left Nagasaki for Honolulu on December 31, and will arrive here about January 13, according to the latest information at the quartermaster's office.

John E. Colburn, manager of the Kapahulu Estate, was an outgoing passenger yesterday for San Francisco. He is reported to be on the way to meet Prince Kahanakoa.

## ONE NEAR-RIOT AT AALA PARK

Chinese Hold Mass Meeting to Hear Visitors and a Few Try to Cause Trouble.

(From Thursday Advertiser)  
Chai King and Woo See Hing, who are on their way to China as representatives of the Chinese of the United States in the national assembly, were attacked by a mob last night, following addresses which they made at Aala Park under the auspices of the All-Chinese ball team.

The riot, it is charged, was incited by members of a small faction here which calls itself the Sun Yat Sen party, but is said to use the name of the statesman to promote its own ends and to have no real connection with the party in China.

The two visitors are supposed to be aligned against Doctor Sun politically, and when it was announced that they would speak to their countrymen last night it is said that the rival faction sent down a band of toughs with instructions to break up the meeting.

Their presence was apparent early in the evening, when they began to circulate through the crowd uttering catcalls, only to be suppressed by the three policemen on duty at the park.

Wong Ho, the chairman, called the attention of the audience to the fact that the speakers were the guests of the local Chinese and should be treated with courtesy. The crowd as a whole seemed to be favorable, and gave both men close attention as they urged the Chinese to take an interest in the government and detailed the duties of citizenship.

Chai King, the first speaker, was not interrupted. He made no attack on Doctor Sun, but urged the cause of education, declaring that free speech, a free press and free schools were urgent needs of the China of today. He paid a high compliment to the All-Chinese ball team, which he said had done more to help the cause of China in the United States than any other organization.

When Woo See Hing arose to speak, the disturbers began to get busy, apparently in the hope of driving him into using intemperate language. The speaker kept cool, however, and there was no outbreak until he said that he had read in a Japanese paper that if, following the elections in China, the Republic failed to show that it was capable of becoming a strong government, Japan would assist at the partition of China in May.

Either through ignorance or intent, some one in the crowd shouted that the speaker had declared for the partition of China. Part of the crowd took up the cry and began to shout threats and curse at the speaker, calling on him to stop speaking. When he concluded, a rush was made at the speakers as they left the stand, but the members of the All-Chinese ball team formed around them and escorted them off the grounds in safety.

The policemen on duty, unable to understand Chinese, apparently thought that the crowd was cheering the visitors, and contented themselves with arresting an intoxicated soldier from Schofield Barracks, who seemed troublesome in the atmosphere and was going to help it by throwing a stone into the crowd, which was swarming after the guests of the evening.

One policeman, it is said, was struck on the arm with a stone, but no report of any trouble at the park was made to headquarters.

## MODERN PIRATES OF GENTLE MIEN

Testimony About Shipping Trust Shows Greatly Improved Methods.

HOLD-UP IS WORLD WIDE

Sensational Evidence—Panama Canal Benefits British Shipowners Mostly.

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)  
WASHINGTON, January 8.—(Special to The Advertiser)—Further testimony about the so-called shipping trust between the United States and South America was given today to the house merchant marine committee.

William Lowery, South American agent for the Pan-American Mail, which it is claimed was driven out of business by the trust, testified how large shippers declined to use the new line for fear of losing their rebates from the European lines. He suggested a statute excluding from American ports European ships giving such rebates as a remedy for the situation.

"We have built the Panama Canal for the benefit of British shipowners, unless this government aids the American marine," said he.

"The idea that the ocean is free is about as big a fallacy as exists in America," testified William H. Douglass, a large New York exporter to South America and Europe.

The steamship lines, German and British, were in combination, having the ocean under their stricter control than any combination ever had any trade between the States, he added, and his firm was supposed to give its business to the Houston line.

"The men who sit in London controlling these lines can throw contracts for goods to any country they please, simply by raising or lowering rates," Mr. Douglass testified.

## IMPEACHMENT TRIAL FOR ARCHBALD NEARS END

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)  
WASHINGTON, January 8.—(Special to The Advertiser)—Arguments for the prosecution in the senate impeachment trial of Judge Archbald were begun this afternoon.

## COUNTY COMMITTEE TAKES A BACK SEAT

(From Thursday Advertiser)  
Designating the supervisors who disappointed him by refusing to confirm the mayor's appointment of Martin Scully to succeed Fire Chief Thurston, as "snakes," "Soapbox" Barron attempted to make a fiery speech at the meeting of the Democratic county committee last night, and was promptly squelched by the chairman and the other members of the committee. He then introduced a resolution declaring that no candidate for a position should be eligible for appointment who was not identified with the Democratic party before the election. He defied the assembly to pass it, and was much surprised when they did so without a dissenting vote. Afterwards he had nothing to say.

Theodore Hoffman, who was appointed examiner of chauffeurs at the meeting Tuesday night, sent in his application for the position to the county committee last night, apparently on the theory of "better late than never."

In order to do away with the friction which is already apparent in the party, W. E. Miles offered a resolution providing that a committee be named to deal with the patronage problem. The committee, he suggested, should be chosen from the Democratic, representatives, senators and supervisors, one from each body, and their decision as to the filling of positions should be final. The resolution was passed and Gilbert J. Waller will name the committee.

## NEW COMMANDANT READY TO START

OLONGAPO, December 13.—Rear Admiral C. B. T. Moore, commanding the Cavite and Olongapo naval stations, who has been selected by the navy department to command the important station at Honolulu will take passage on the transport sailing from Manila on January 15, and will assume command of his new station immediately after arrival at Honolulu.

The detachment of Admiral Moore is learned with regret by everyone in Olongapo, where he has done much to improve the station and town.

There will be a farewell dante for the Fifth Cavalry at Schofield Barracks on Friday evening. A special train will leave Honolulu at six o'clock. Everyone as well as the personal friends and acquaintances of the troops are invited to attend the dante.